

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

Systems and methods for generating digital images having image meta-data combined with the image data are provided. Briefly described, one of many possible  
5 embodiments is an image capture device for generating digital images having image meta-data combined with the image data.. The image capture device may comprise image capture hardware configured to capture an image and logic configured for:  
generating a digital representation of the image, the digital representation comprising image data; applying at least one predefined image analysis algorithm to the digital  
10 representation of the image, the at least one predefined image analysis algorithm identifying meta-data corresponding to the image; and combining the meta-data corresponding to the image with the image data to define new image data.